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Case No. <u>11320/33</u>

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Miles B. Brennan et al.

Serial No:

10/764,712

Examiner: Jon E. Angell

Filed:

January 23, 2004

Group Art Unit: 1635

For: Method for Treatment of Insulin

Resistance in Obesity and Diabetes

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to a Restriction Requirement dated November 15, 2005 for a period of four month(s).

	Ap	pplicant:		
		\boxtimes	claims small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. §1.27.	
			is other than small entity	
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		Extension <u>Months</u>	Other Than Small Entity	Small Entity				
		One Month Two Months Three Months Four Months Five Months	\$120.00 \$450.00 \$1,020.00 \$1,590.00 \$2,160.00	\$60.00 \$225.00 \$510.00 \$795.00 \$1,080.00				
Fee Payment								
\boxtimes	Attached is a check for \$795 for the Petition fee.							
	Attached is a credit card authorization form for \$ for the Petition fee.							
	Charge Petition fee to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached. Charge any additional fee required or credit for any excess fee paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.							
			Respect	fully submitted,				
Dated: April 17, 2006 John Murray, Ph.D. Registration No. 44,251 Attorney for Applicant								

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